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Ms. Deena Sheppard, Enforcement Specialist
Environmental Protection Agency – Region 5
Superfund Division (SE-5J)
77 West Jackson Blvd.
Chicago, Illinois 60604-3590

Re: Gary Development Landfill Site
CERCLIS ID#: IND077005916

Dear Ms. Sheppard:

This letter is provided to acknowledge receipt of your General Notice Letter for the above-referenced site (the “Site”). As set forth in Georgia-Pacific LLC’s (“Georgia-Pacific”) March 29, 2012 response to EPA’s Request for Information, Georgia-Pacific is not aware of any hazardous substances that were sent from any Georgia-Pacific facility to the Site during the period 1970 to 1989. Accordingly, Georgia-Pacific is not aware of any information that would substantiate EPA’s stated belief that Georgia-Pacific “may be liable under Section 107(a) of CERCLA with respect to the Gary Development Landfill Site, as an arranger, who by contract or agreement, arranged for the disposal, treatment or transportation of hazardous substances at the Site.” Nevertheless, Georgia-Pacific is certainly open to further communication with EPA and other potentially responsible parties to resolve any outstanding issues concerning Georgia-Pacific’s potential liability at the Site.

By this response, Georgia-Pacific does not waive any rights, defenses, claims or remedies, and makes no admission of any fact, law or liability. Additionally, Georgia-Pacific does not represent that it subscribes to or agrees with any EPA assumption in the matter of the Gary Development Landfill Site.

Very truly yours,


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cc: Ms. Nicole Wood-Chi, Associate Regional Counsel